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For	SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR ENSURING CORRECT CONNECTIVITY BETWEEN CIRCUIT DESIGNS		

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**SUBMISSION OF SUPPLEMENTAL DECLARATION AND
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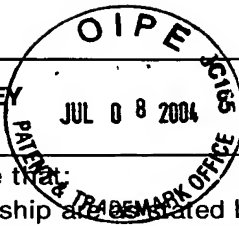
Applicants hereby submit a newly executed Supplemental Declaration And Power of Attorney For Patent Application. Applicants noticed that the U.S. Priority Claim section did not show priority claim to 09/911,997, filed July 24, 2001 on the originally submitted declaration and, therefore, Applicant has corrected the declaration to show the U.S. Priority Claim as 09/911,997, filed July 24, 2001.

Please contact the undersigned attorney for any additional information.

Respectfully submitted,

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**DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY
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As a below named inventor, I hereby declare that:
My residence/post office address and citizenship are stated below next to my name;

I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if plural names are listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

SYSTEMS AND METHODS FOR ENSURING CORRECT CONNECTIVITY BETWEEN CIRCUIT DESIGNS

the specification of which is attached hereto unless the following box is checked:

☒ (X) was filed on Aug. 19, 2003 as US Application No. or PCT International Application
Number 10/643,397 and was amended on _____ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment(s) referred to above. I acknowledge the duty to disclose all information which is material to patentability as defined in 37 CFR 1.56.

Foreign Application(s) and/or Claim of Foreign Priority

I hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code Section 119 of any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor(s) certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application for patent or inventor(s) certificate having a filing date before that of the application on which priority is claimed:

COUNTRY	APPLICATION NUMBER	DATE FILED	PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 35 U.S.C. 119
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I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code Section 119(e) of any United States provisional application(s) listed below:

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U. S. Priority Claim

I hereby claim the benefit under Title 35, United States Code, Section 120 of any United States application(s) listed below and, insofar as the subject matter of each of the claims of this application is not disclosed in the prior United States application in the manner provided by the first paragraph of Title 35, United States Code Section 112, I acknowledge the duty to disclose material information as defined in Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56(a) which occurred between the filing date of the prior application and the national or PCT international filing date of this application:

APPLICATION NUMBER	FILING DATE	STATUS (patented/pending/abandoned)
09/911,997	July 24, 2001	pending

POWER OF ATTORNEY:

As a named inventor, I hereby appoint the following attorney(s) and/or agent(s) to prosecute this application and transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith:

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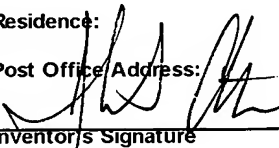
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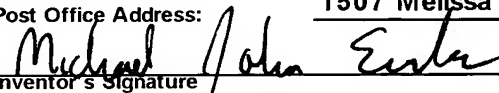
I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

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